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(title)

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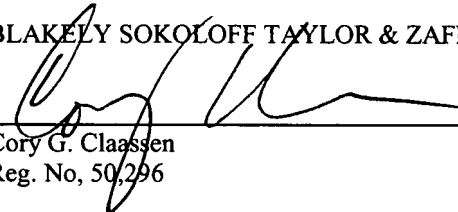
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**ELECTION/AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION
REQUIREMENT**

Sir/Madam:

This election/amendment is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 26, 2007, in connection with the above-noted patent application. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.